FRENCH JOCKEY CLUB IS EIGHTY YEARS OLD

ent Quarters.

BY LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY. THE French Jockey Club, which celebrates this year the eightieth anniversary of its existence, and the golden jubilee of its establishment in its present metropolitan quarters in the Rue Scribe, has just held its annual election, and by a unantmous vote has maintained the Duo de Fezensac as its president. The presidency of the Jockey Club carries with it a sort of unwritten presidency of Club was under a cloud. There were

The fourteen original members of the club in 1833 were the Duke of Orleans, grandfather of the present duke of that ilk his brother, the royal Duc de Nemours, Lord Henry Seymour, son of the Marchioness of Hertford: Anatole Demidoff, Prince of San Donato; Michael Ney, Prince de la Moscowa, Charles Lafitte, De Normandie, De la Marre, and the Chevaller de Machado. In that year they draw up their first rules for racing, which took place in those days on the Champ de Mare. Then the Duc d'Orleans gave permission to hold races in the beautiful park of Chantilly, where in 1835 the first French Derby, was held. The Champ

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Ruptured in Right Side.

an early age Eugene Pullen was an express driver. He handled railroad baggage. One day after delivering a fore the young man noticed the swell-

The doctor told young Pullen that he was ruptured and that he must either wear a Jruss throughout life or submit to a drastic operation. All surgeons know that hernia operations. with anaesthetics, etc., are dangerous; they may end fatally. Moreover, it is a well established fact that many rup-ture operations are not successful; the bowel soon breaks through the sewedopening and protrudes worse than

Afraid of Operation.

Like most others, Mr. Pullen declined to take the risks of an operation; the expense and loss of time had to be considered, too. Hoping he might get a little better encouragement, he went to another physician who, to his sor-row, gave him even less hope. It was pointed out to the young man that unless the rupture were perfectly held all the time or the surgeon's knife successfully used, he might expect an increase or doubling in the rupture with further complications, or the dreaded strangulated hernia which kills so many ruptured people.

Victim of Trusses.

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The victim bought a truss, a hard, spring-like affair, the best he could get. It tortured him. He tried another—still no relief. He was compelled to give up his express business. The hard tasks of ordinary men were forbidden him. He became an insurance agent, in which position he did not need to do bodily work.

For six years Mr. Pullen dragged around, using various trusses, hard, elastic, etc., with never any contentment. One day his mother told him something she had just found out. It was a simple and easy thing for him to do. He lost no time.

Discarded His Truss.

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Relief came at once; he almost forgot that he had any rupture. Afterward came a cure—a complete healing—and, although years have passed and Mr. Pullen is an energetic carpenter, working on buildings, climbing over roofs, lifting lumber and such like, he is absolutely free from the old hernia. He knows he is completely, lastingly cured. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble—comfort and contentment from the very outset. He is a strong, cheerful-minded man. strong, cheerful-minded man

Valuable Information Free.

The valuable information which Mrs. Pullen read in a newspaper many years ago and gave to her son, together with further important facts, will be sent free to any reader of this who writes to Eugene M. Pullen, 193, Marcellus Avenue, Manasquan, N. J., enclosing a stamp for reply a Mention the kind of rupture you have whether on right or left side, and what you have already done in your effort to cure it. A legion of cases of all kinds of rupture in men and women, including inguinal (groin), femoral, naval, serotal, etc., have been reported com-The valuable information which Mrs. scrotal, etc., have been reported com-pletely healed. Age seems to make no difference.—Advertisement.

Will Celebrate Golden Jubilee of used until 1857, when the race course of Longchamp, in the Bois de Bologne, was formed. Since then Longchamp continues to be the principal French sourse, under the rules of the French Jockey Club, the French Derby, how-

> The Jockey Club of France is almost as pre-eminent gastronomically as it is in matters of sport, and its world-wide celebrity in connection with its cuisine is of a nature to command respect, when one reflects that France is renowned in all quarters of the globe for its coonery.

For a time the cuisine of the Jockey Parisian society, and its holder is invariably accorded precedence as such in the great world, since the over-throw of the monarchy.

The world with the parising the interest which insisted that it was or warming the parising mark—and it is freely alleged in Paris that if the Duc de Fezensac was elected as the president of the Jockey Club, it was less by reason of his mark on the turf than on account of his prestige as a gourmet, and b cause it was hoped that under his direction the cuisine of the club would resume its former perfection. These expectations have been realized.

The Duc de Fezensac is the chief of the historic house of Montesquieu, which has played so great a role in the history of France. Not long after the accession to the throne of Louis XVI. he authorized Pierre, Marquis de Montesquieu, who had been his "men-in," that is to say, had been brought up with him, to assume the name of Fezensac in addition to his own, on the ground that he was descended in the female line from the otherwise extinct Counts de Fezensac, who in olden times had exercised petty sovereign sway in the Gers. Up to the time of the great revolution it was customary to select lads belonging to the oldest nobility, and of the same Wonderful Healing of Rupture

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How a New Jersey Man Got

Rid of a Severe, Obstinate

Right Inguinal Hernia With
out the Slighest Trouble

the oldest nobility, and of the same age as one or another of the sons of the monarch, in order to be brought up with him, so that the youthful panionship in their studies, in their games, and, in fact, throughout their entire youth, of carefully selected comrades. This practice prevailed in nearly all the Continental courts of Europe, and these foster-brothers of the young princes of the blood were known as their "menins." Sometimes, too, ther served the purpose of whip-Below is a picture of Eugene M. Pullen, a well-known carpenter of Manaequan, New Jersey. If you could see him at his work, particularly when he handles heavy timber, jumps and climbs around like a youth, you would scarcely imagine that he had formerly been afflicted with a rupture.

This courts of courts of the blood were known as their "menins." Sometimes, too, ther served the purpose of whipping boys, that is to say, they received the punishment and personal chastisement which the prince had incurred by misconduct; and it may be safely assumed that as boys are the same all the world over, the young "menin" when afterwards alone with his illustrious playmate, managed to which he had received.

name of Fyzensac was master of the horse to the Comte de Provence, afterwards Louis XVIII. He refrained from emigrating along with the other nooles, but joined Mirabeau, and in 1792 commanded as general-in-chief the Army of the South which took possession of Savey Suspected of royalsession of Savoy. Suspected of royal-ist sympathies, he was relieved al-most immediately afterwards of his command, and died in calle in 1798. His second brother, Francis de Montesquieu-Fezensac, entered the church and became an abbe, represented the clergy of the States General, and at-tached himself to the Comte de Pro-vence, whom he followed into exile, vence, whom he followed into exite, and with whom he became extremely intimate. On the restoration in 1814, he was named by Louis XVIII. first Minister of the interior, and then Premier, being one of the principal authors of the "Charte," or royal constitution. When Napoleon returned from Elba he was forced to fee. After the second restoration, in 1815, King Louis neglected to reappoint him to any office, but contended husself with creating him, first a peer of the realm and then a duke, with remainder to his nephew, grandfather of the present duke. He is also on record as having been one of the only members elected to membership of the academy heavy trunk on an upper floor he feit elected to membership of the academy a pain in the right grom. The suffer on purely personal grounds, and ing increased, and it was not long beliterary, scientific or artistic claims to the honor. The Comtesse de Montesquieu-Fez-

ensac, his sister-in-law, was appointed by the Emperor Napoleon to be the "gouvernante-en-chef" and mistress of the household of his infant son, the King of Rome, the "aiglon," who died as Duke of Reichstadt; and her son, who enlisted in the army as a private under Napoleon in 1804, won his way rapidly upward on the battlefields, until he became a general and a mem-ber of the personal staff of the Emperor. Having failed in his efforts to obtain permission to follow Napoleon to Elba, he was banished as an adherent of the fallen Emperor by the Bour boils, but, through the influence of his uncle, the first Duc de Fezensac tained permission to return to France where he became very intimate with the then Duke of Orleans, joining his household as gentleman in waiting to the duchess.

The "Lady Gordon Howard," who, according to the dispatches from Lonhas been booked by Richard Klegin, the theatrical agent there, for a dance specialty in a vaudeville theatre in New York, and who, if her debut on this side of the Atlantie is successful, is afterward to appear on the London music hall stage, has no title. She is Mrs. Gordon Frederick the ward and her husband is the provided and the provided the stage. Howard, and her husband is the next heir to his cousin, the Earl of Effingham, who is an elderly bachelor.

The earl, as also Gordon Howard, is descended from William Howard, younger son of the second Duke of Norfolk, He was the ambassador of Edward VI. to the Czar of Muscovy; in 1552 was raised to the peerage of in 1552 was raised to the peerage of Lord Howard of Effingham by Queen Mary, who also appointed him Lord High Admiral, and was Lord Privy Seal to Queen Elizabeth. Of his two sons, the elder was the commander-in-chief of the fleet which defeated the Spanish Armada. From this great naval commander's younger brother, Sir William Howard the Farl of Ef-Sir William Howard, the Earl of Ef-fingham of to-day, who is also fourteenth Lord Howard of Effingham, is

One of the members of this line of the Howards, namely, the fifth Lord Howard of Effingham, was Governor of Virginia towards the close of the

seventeenth century.

The Gordon Howards are very poor. The Gordon Howards are very poor. Gordon Howard's father, the late Captain the Hon. Frederick Howard, or the Coldstream Guards, blew out his brains, owing to financial troubles, and to an entanglement with a Mrs. Edward Lynch-Blosse, who also committed auticide in the same fashion, the

as a married woman was spent in de-fending county court suits brought against her by infuriated tradesmen

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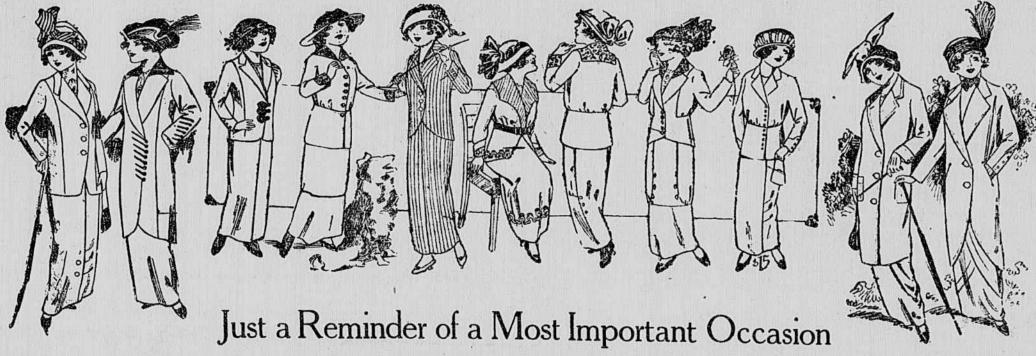
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debts, and in eking out a scanty sub-sistence by contributions to the newspapers and literary ventures, among the latter a volume of cookery re-celpts entitled "Everybody's Dinner Book, From One Shilling to Ten." Its object was to suggest menus to persons with meagre purses, and was intended for shabby-genteel people who are forced to keep up appearances on

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Crewe, Va., April 19.—Bennie Horner visited his mother, Mrs. Annie Horner for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Miller, of Rice, have returned home from a visit to their daughter. Mrs. Bernard Carter.

Mrs. R. S. Beville spent a few days with her daughter, Miss Aline Beville, at Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, this last week. Mrs. Harry Gains, of Lynchburg, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Bettle, Critten-

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Mrs. Louis Schrieber is visiting her mother in Baltimore.

Frank Anderson is visiting his con, Horace Anderson.

J. H. Hines visited in Southhampton County for a few days lately.

George Wright, of Marion, visited in his official capacity Crews Lodge, 123, A. F. & A. M., on Tuesday evening.

Glibert Collings, of V. P. I., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Collings.

Mrs. C. E. Smithson represented the Crews Chapter of the U. D. C., at the Emporia district conference of the U. D. Q.

Miss Ruth Smithson attended the national convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which convened in Washington, D. C., the past week.

Mrs. Minter Fergurson and children, of Louisville, Ky., are spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lockett.

Dr. Jumes Cook, of Baltimore, will assist Rev. W. W. Boin, of the Presbyterian Church in a revival beginning on the night of April 27. hurch in a revival beginning of April 27.

H. D. Fenson has returned from a trip o New York City.

J. Dayis and daughter, Miss Lottle, of tichmond, were the guests last week of Mrs. V. W. Boin.

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BON AIR [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Bon Air, Va., April 19.-Miss Mary Pemberton, of Norfolk, is visiting Miss Marmts, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fook, of Baltimore, will associate beginning on the night is has returned from a trip lity.

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and Miss Ruth Robertson have been the recent guests of the Misses Talcott.

Miss Clara Powers entertained the Literary Cub on Saturday from 4 o'clock to 5 o'clock. A goodly number were in attendance and enjoyed the program.

Mrs. Polk Miller returned this week from a visit to Washington.

Mrs. George Talcott spent Thursday with the Misses Hazen.

Mrs. Margaret Hoff is spending the weekend with Miss Hermie Moore.

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